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20. (Unclassified - THW) LEGISLATION Called Dave Minton, Executive Director, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, regarding our amendment proposal to the Civil Service Reform Act concerning the merits principle provision. He said he had not but would do so shortly and indicated that Representative Edward J. Derwinski (R., Ill.) mentioned the problem to him and added he felt there was no problem with all but two Members and felt an agreeable solution to the problem could be worked out.

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22. (Unclassified - JMD) LIAISON In response to a request from the CIA Library, I called Priscilla, secretary to Col. Grant Miller, OSD Legislative Affairs, and asked if they could get us a copy of Dr. Charles Russell's letter to Representative William Lehman (D., Fla.) concerning 14 terrorist groups connected with the PLO which was mentioned in today's New York Times. Later, Priscilla called and said I would have to call Dr. Russell directly, that the Air Force would not release it to OSD. I thanked her for her efforts.

23. (Internal Use Only - RJK) LIAISON The Director briefed the Joint Economic Subcommittee on Priorities and Economy in Government, on the Soviet economy. (See Memorandum for the Record.)

24. (Unclassified - RJK) LIAISON William J. Gook, on the staff of Representative Donald J. Pease (D., Ohio), called and with apology postponed the briefing scheduled for the Congressman on Afghanistan. He said he would call us to set up another date.

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